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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.98, the Office is informed of the following references (copies of non-U.S. references are enclosed):

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J.E. Santos Conde et al.: "A Smart Airbag Solution Based on a High Speed CMOS Camera System", Fraunhofer Institute of Microelectronic Circuits and Systems, pages 930-934.

As per the Notice in 1273 OG 55 (August 5, 2003) no copies of any abovementioned U.S. patents and U.S. patent application publications are submitted for any application filed after June 30, 2003.

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